

WAC 16-305-253 Category 3 grower or processor violations. Category 3 violations are violations involving the growing, manufacture, supply, processing, or distribution of industrial hemp or hemp seed by industrial hemp grower, processor, or combination licensees.

Violation Type	Penalty
Failure to comply with chapter 16-302 WAC when growing industrial hemp for seed certification	\$1,000
Growing industrial hemp within 4 miles of any field or facility being used to grow marijuana	\$1,000
Failure to devitalize seed under a combination license	\$500
Using domicile, home or residence to process industrial hemp	Destruction of hemp material
Licensee's industrial hemp tests higher than 0.3% THC concentration by dry weight (RCW 15.120.010(3))	Destruction of crop
Plant material found not harvested during license period	Destruction of unharvested crop
Processing industrial hemp without a fit for commerce certificate or bill of lading or not otherwise obtained through legal means	Destruction of publicly marketable hemp product or end use product
Transporting industrial hemp without a fit for commerce certificate or bill of lading	Destruction of publicly marketable hemp product or end use product
Industrial hemp seed not planted within 24 hours of receipt	Return of seed to DEA approved storage facility

[Statutory Authority: RCW 15.120.030, 15.120.035 and chapter 34.05 RCW. WSR 18-13-013, § 16-305-253, filed 6/7/18, effective 7/8/18.]